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Title: CUBE CORNER CAVITY BASED RETROREFLECTORS WITH
TRANSPARENT FILL MATERIAL**PETITION FOR WITHDRAWAL FROM ISSUE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.313(c)(2)
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Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions for the withdrawal of this application from issue under
37 CFR § 1.313 (c)(2).

PATENT ISSUE FEE

The issue fee for this case was paid on February 5, 2004.

REASON FOR WITHDRAWAL REQUEST

The reason for withdrawal from issue of this application is for consideration of an
Information Disclosure Statement in a Request for Continued Examination.

**FILING OF REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION
UNDER 37 CFR § 1.114**

A Request for Continued Examination under 37 CFR § 1.114 is being submitted via
facsimile with this petition. The RCE Transmittal paper and Information Disclosure Statement
are attached.

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Please charge the petition fee provided in 37 CFR § 1.17(h), and if necessary, charge any additional fees, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-3723. One copy of this sheet marked duplicate is also enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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